

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE Northern District of Illinois – CM/ECF LIVE, Ver 6.2.1
Eastern Division**

Scott Magee

Plaintiff,

v.

Case No.: 1:16-cv-05652

Honorable Joan B. Gottschall

McDonald's Corporation, et al.

Defendant.

NOTIFICATION OF DOCKET ENTRY

This docket entry was made by the Clerk on Thursday, May 10, 2018:

MINUTE entry before the Honorable Joan B. Gottschall: On 6/15/17, this court referred [58] "all discovery supervision" to Judge Schenkier. Judge Schenkier entered the parties' revised joint discovery plan as a Fed. R. Civ. P. 16 scheduling order on 12/7/18. That order states that a "Discovery Plan for class discovery will be set after the ruling(s) on Dispositive Motions." Expert discovery on plaintiff's individual claims closes 6/29/18, and dispositive motions on the individual claims must be filed by 8/29/18. Id. at 1. Plaintiff nevertheless filed a motion for class certification [120] and motion to file a supporting memorandum in excess of 15 pages [122] and noticed both motions before the district judge. Defendants responded with a motion to deny the motion for class certification [123], which they also have noticed for presentment to the district judge. Defendants ask the court to sanction plaintiff for violating the 12/7/17 scheduling order. Because the filing of a motion for class certification without leave from Judge Schenkier apparently violates the 12/7/17 scheduling order and would, in any event, have a significant impact on the discovery schedule, the motion for class certification [120] is denied without prejudice, and the motion to exceed page limits [122] is denied as moot. Defendants' motion for sanctions [123] is referred to Judge Schenkier. Defendants must renote that motion for presentment to Judge Schenkier. The 5/11/18 motion hearings are stricken. No appearance required. Mailed notice(mjc,)

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